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- TI Transgenic indica rice cvIR-50 over-expressing Vigna aconitifolia Δ1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase cDNA shows tolerance to high salt
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- TI Regulation of osmotic stress-responsive gene expression by the LOS6/ABA1 locus in Arabidopsis
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- TI Effects of hydrogen peroxide and nitric oxide on both salt and heat stress tolerance in rice
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- SO Journal of Plant Biochemistry and Biotechnology (2003), 12(2), 109-116 CODEN: JPBBEE; ISSN: 0971-7811

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- AB Higher plants growing in natural environments experience various abiotic stresses. H2O2 and nitric oxide (NO) free radicals are produced and cause oxidative damage to plants under various abiotic stress conditions. However, in the present study, we found that pretreating **rice** seedlings with low levels (<10 μ M) of H2O2 or NO permitted the survival of more green leaf tissue, and of higher quantum yield for photosystem II, than in non-treated controls, under salt and heat stresses. It was also shown that the pretreatment induces not only active oxygen scavenging enzymes activities, but also expression of transcripts for stress-related genes encoding sucrose-phosphate synthase, Δ' -pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthase, and small heat shock protein 26, These results suggest that H2O2 and NO can increase both salt and heat tolerance in **rice** seedlings by acting as signal mols. for the response.

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- L2 ANSWER 11 OF 40 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN
- TI Fluorescence in situ hybridization of Δ' -pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase (P5CS) gene on rice chromosome
- L2 ANSWER 12 OF 40 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN
- TI Promtor of Arabidopsis thaliana $\Delta 1$ -pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase gene regulates target gene expression under water stress
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- TI Molecular cloning and characterization of a cDNA encoding proline transporter in **rice**

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- SO Plant and cell physiology, Oct 2000. Vol. 41, No. 10. p. 1096-1101 Publisher: Kyoto, Japan : Japanese Society of Plant Physiologists. CODEN: PCPHA5; ISSN: 0032-0781

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- TI Hypersensitivity of an **Arabidopsis** sugar signaling mutant toward exogenous proline application. [Erratum: June 2000, v. 123 (2), p. 777-790.]
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- TI Structural analysis of $\Delta 1$ -pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase gene from Bruguiera gymnorrhiza
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- TI Water stress or salt stress tolerant transgenic cereal plants
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- TI Stress-regulated expression constructs for improvement of plant tolerance of environmental stresses
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- TI Increase of proline content in transgenic rice plants with a proline dehydrogenase antisense cDNA
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- TI Structure, function and regulation of AtP5CS genes in Arabidopsis

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- SO PCT Int. Appl., 26 pp. CODEN: PIXXD2
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- TI Characterization of the gene for delta 1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase and correlation between the expression of the gene and salt tolerance in Oryza sativa L.
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- TI Differential expression of two P5CS genes controlling proline accumulation during salt-stress requires ABA and is regulated by ABA1, ABI1, and AXR2 in Arabidopsis.
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- TI Reciprocal regulation of delta 1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase and proline dehydrogenase genes control proline levels during and after osmotic stress in plants.
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TI Correlation between the induction of a gene for delta 1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthetase and the accumulation of proline in Arabidopsis thaliana under osmotic stress.

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- A cDNA for delta1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate (P5C) synthetase (cOsP5CS), an AB enzyme involved in the biosynthesis of proline, was isolated and characterized from a cDNA library prepared from 14-day-old seedlings of Oryza sativa cv. Akibare. The deduced amino acid sequence of the P5CS protein (OsP5CS) from O. sativa exhibited 74.2% and 75.5% homology to that of the P5CS from Arabidopsis thaliana and Vigna aconitifolia, respectively. Northern blot analysis revealed that the gene for P5CS (OsP5CS) was induced by high salt, dehydration, treatment of ABA and cold treatment, while it was not induced by heat treatment. Simultaneously, accumulation of proline was observed as a result of high salt treatment in O. sativa. Moreover, the levels of expression of OsP5CS mRNA and content of proline under salt stress condition were compared between a salt-tolerant cultivar, Dee-gee-woo-gen (DGWG) and a salt-sensitive breeding line, IR28. It was observed that the expression of the P5CS gene and the accumulation of proline in DGWG steadily increased, whereas those in IR28 increased slightly.
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- Transgenic plants with improved resistance to plant stress, especially cold, carry expression cassettes for genes improving stress tolerance under control of a promoter containing a stress-regulated genetic element. Increased levels of expression of the gene are obtained by using a fusion protein of a protein binding the stress-regulated element and an efficient transcription activation factor. A transcription factor, CBF1, binding to C-repeat/DRE (C-repeat cold and drought regulation element) was identified in Arabidopsis and a cDNA encoding it was cloned and its function confirmed by gel shift and reporter gene expts. in Saccharomyces cerevisiae. The protein appears to be a member of the AP-2 transcription factor family. The CBF1 gene was induced by cold. Expression of the CBF1 gene from a 35S promoter in plants that had not been adapted to the cold increased the level of expression of the COR (cold-response) genes and a

marked increase in freezing tolerance. Expression vectors using stress responsive promoters for use in cereal are described. An number of homologs of CBF1 from a range of plants are cloned. A method for altering an environmental stress tolerance of a plant is provided which comprises the steps of transforming a plant with a promoter which regulates expression of at least one copy of a gene encoding a binding protein capable of binding to a DNA regulatory sequence (CCGAC) which regulates one or more environmental stress tolerance genes in the plant; expressing the binding protein encoded by the gene; and stimulating expression of at least one environmental stress tolerance gene through binding of the binding protein to the DNA regulatory sequence.

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 TI Toxicity of free proline revealed in an Arabidopsis T-DNA-tagged
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- TI ACTCAT, a novel cis-acting element for proline- and hypoosmolarityresponsive expression of the **ProDH** gene encoding **proline dehydrogenase** in **Arabidopsis**.
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- TI Altered levels of proline dehydrogenase cause hypersensitivity to proline and its analogs in Arabidopsis.
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Osmotic stress-induced accumulation of proline, an important protective AB osmolyte in higher plants, is dependent on the expression of delta1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate synthase (P5CS) and proline dehydrogenase (PDH) enzymes that catalyze the rate-limiting steps of proline biosynthesis and degradation, respectively. Proline metabolism is modulated by differential regulation of organ specific expression of PDH and duplicated P5CS genes in Arabidopsis. Stimulation of proline synthesis by abscisic acid (ABA) and salt stress correlates with a striking activation of P5CS1 expression. By contrast, P5CS2 is only weakly induced, whereas PDH is inhibited to different extent by ABA and salt stress in shoots and roots of light-grown plants. Proline accumulation and light-dependent induction of P5CS1 by ABA and salt stress is inhibited in dark-adapted plants. During dark adaptation P5CS2 is also down-regulated, whereas PDH expression is significantly enhanced in shoots. The inhibitory effect of dark adaptation on P5CS1 is mimicked by the steroid hormone brassinolide. However, brassinolide fails to stimulate PDH, and inhibits P5CS2 only in shoots. Proline accumulation and induction of P5CS1 transcription are simultaneously enhanced in the ABA-hypersensitive prl1 and brassinosteroid-deficient det2 mutants, whereas P5CS2 shows enhanced induction by ABA and salt only in the det2 mutant. In comparison, the prl1 mutation reduces the basal level of PDH expression, whereas the det2 mutation enhances the inhibition of PDH by ABA. Regulation of P5CS1

expression thus appears to play a principal role in controlling proline accumulation stimulated by ABA and salt stress in Arabidopsis.

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Pro dehydrogenase (PDH) catalyzes the first and rate-limiting step in the AR Pro catabolic pathway. In Arabidopsis, this enzyme is encoded by At-PDH. To investigate the role of Pro catabolism in plants, we generated transgenic Arabidopsis plants with altered levels of PDH by sense (PDH-S plants) and antisense (PDH-AS plants) strategies. Free Pro levels were reduced by up to 50% in PDH-S plants under stress and recovery conditions and enhanced by a maximum of 25% in PDH-AS plants, despite large modifications of the At-PDH transcript and At-PDH protein levels. A similar trend in free Pro levels was observed in the PDH-S and PDH-AS seeds without visible effects on germination or growth. Under stress conditions, PDH transgenic plants showed no signs of change in osmotolerance. However, addition of exogenous Pro increased survival rates of salt-stressed PDH-S plants by 30%. Isotope-labeling studies showed that the conversion of [14C]Pro to Glu was reduced in PDH-AS plants and increased in PDH-S plants, especially under stress conditions. Furthermore, PDH-AS plants were hypersensitive to exogenous Pro, whereas PDH-S plants were sensitive to Pro analogs. These findings demonstrate that altered At-PDH levels lead to weakly modified free Pro accumulation with a limited impact on plant development and growth, suggesting a tight control of Pro homeostasis and/or gene redundancy.

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- TI Expression analysis of the erd5 gene that encodes proline dehydrogenase in Arabidopsis thaliana.
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- TI A nuclear gene encoding mitochondrial proline dehydrogenase, an enzyme involved in proline metabolism, is upregulated by proline but downregulated by dehydration in Arabidopsis.
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- 1.6 ANSWER 20 OF 22 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2004 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 10 Many plants accumulate proline as a non-toxic and protective osmolyte AB under saline or dry conditions. Its accumulation is caused by both the activation of its biosynthesis and inactivation of its degradation The alterations induced by water and salt stress in the proline metabolism and amino acid content of 5-day-old seedlings of Triticum durum cv. Simeto were investigated. Most of the amino acids showed an increase with the induction of either stress, but proline increased more markedly than did other amino acids. Also measured were the activities of two enzymes, Δ1-pyrroline-5-carboxylate (P5C) reductase (E.C. 1.5.1.2) and proline dehydrogenase, which are involved in proline biosynthesis and catabolism, resp. The activity of P5C reductase was enhanced during both water and salt stress, while proline dehydrogenase was inhibited only during salt stress. The results indicate that synthesis de novo is the predominant mechanism in proline accumulation in durum wheat. Use of a CDNA clone that encodes P5C-reductase from Arabidopsis thaliana, showed no differences in the gene expression between controls and stressed plants, implying that the increase in enzyme activity is unrelated to the expression of this gene.